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PART IV.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

SANDALWOOD AUCTION SALE.

Notification dated 1st August 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the annual *auction sales of sandalwood* of the Mysore State, will be held at the undermentioned kotis on the dates specified against each, by the District Forest Officer in conjunction with the Deputy Commissioner of the District or an Assistant Commissioner deputed by the Deputy Commissioner:—

Serial No.	District	Koti	Date of sale	Approximate quantity in tons	Remarks
1	Mysore	Hunsur	20th November 1916 (Monday)	300	
2	Do	Seringapatam	23rd " (Thursday)	150	
3	Bangalore	Bangalore	27th " (Monday)	75	
4	Hassan	Hassan	30th " (Thursday)	100	
5	Kadur	Chikmagalur	4th December 1916 (Monday)	175	
6	Do	Tarikere	7th " (Thursday)	175	
7	Shimoga	Shimoga	11th " (Monday)	275	
8	Do	Sagar	14th " (Thursday)	100	
9	Do	Tirthahalli	18th " (Monday)	150	
			Total ...	1,500	

2. Details as to quantities and lots of sandalwood to be exposed for sale as above in each koti, together with the terms of sale, will be published hereafter as usual about the end of October 1916.

3. Any wood that may remain unsold at any koti will not again be put up for auction but will be sold, if found necessary, by tenders after the conclusion of the auction sales.

4. Intending depositors on account of sandalwood purchases are requested to make their remittance and payments into the *District Treasury*, Bangalore. Remittances when sent by post must be addressed to the "*Officer in charge of the Bangalore District Treasury*, Bangalore."

5. Remittances must not be sent to the Office of the Conservator of Forests.

M. G. RAMA RAO,
Conservator of Forests.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 10th October 1916.

It is hereby notified that the right to cut and remove the timber and fuel trees in the undermentioned coupes of the State Forests of the Bangalore District during the year 1916-17, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or the Range Forest Officer concerned, on the date and at the place noted hereunder :—

The sale will commence at 12 noon precisely on each day and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer.

Name of range	Name of forest	No. of working circle	Coupe No.	Area in acres	Place of sale	Date of sale
Satnur	Basavanbetta ...	I	9	210		
		II	10	210		
		III	9	192		
		IV	8	209		
	Chilandadi ...	I	8	215		
			10	213		
		II	7	195	Satnur ...	23rd September 1916.
			9	192		
		III	7	200		
			8	200		
			9	199		
		IV	3	190		
			4	192		

2. Each bidder shall deposit a sum of Rs. 25 as earnest money before he is permitted to bid, which will be returned to him at the close of the sale, if his bid be not accepted. The accepted bidder shall immediately after the close of sale pay the ¼th sale amount less the deposit already paid failing which the right will be immediately resold at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He is liable to the loss, if any, that may accrue by such resale but will not participate in any gain.

3. The District Forest Officer reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

4. The accepted bidder shall deposit a further sum of Rs. 50 within a month from the date on which the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him and remit the ¾ amount due by him and shall execute an agreement accepting the terms specified below, failing which the amount already placed will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold at his risk as noted in clause 2 *supra* :—

(*a*) That he binds himself to fell and remove the timber and fuel he has purchased before the 15th June 1917.

(*b*) The felling shall be made in a methodical manner from one side leaving out all standard trees marked on the area.

(*c*) That the timber removed and stacked in the selected spot shall be passed and the logs stamped and covered by a passport to be issued by the Range Officer or such other Officer deputed for the purpose before effecting any removal outside the forest limits.

(*d*) That if any standard tree reserved by the Department at an average of 20 per acre and marked in the area is felled, he will pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*e*) That timber or fuel shall be removed outside the forest limits before the 15th June 1917.

(*f*) That he agrees to abide by the rules of the Department as regards kindling of fires and holds himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*g*) That he agrees to maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer for the purpose showing the number of trees felled and the outturn of timber and fuel resulting therefrom and it will be open to the examination of all Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*h*) That no operations should take place in the forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*i*) That he agrees to the cancellation of the contract and the forfeiture of his deposit for breach of any of the terms of the contract.

(*j*) The contract period lasts up to 15th June 1917, and after which, the purchaser will have no right whatsoever over the coupe and the timber or fuel left therein without being removed. He will, as well, lose all claims on the amount paid by him for the contract after that date.

Notification dated 4th September 1916.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the marginally noted unclaimed property which were found lying in the Katte near Hosdurga village, Kodihalli Hobli, Kankanhalli Taluk, is in the custody of the Hosdurga Patel.

Claimants, if any, for the said property, should apply to the Range Forest Officer, Kankanhalli with necessary proofs to support their claim within one month from this date, failing which the property will be confiscated to Government.

Kagli kucha—

	Length	Girth.
(1)	... 9'—4"	× 1'—4"
(2)	... 9'—4"	× 1'—2"
(3)	... 9'—4"	× 1'—3"

Hurugal kucha—

(4)	.. 9'	× 4" × 1'—11"

Vadavara kucha—

(5)	... 9'	× 4" × 1'—10"

and 884 green bamboos.

V. ETHIRAJULU NAIDU,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 6th September 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the following quantities of timber will be offered for sale by public auction in the depôts of the Mysore District, on the dates specified against each depôt by the District Forest Officer of the Mysore District :—

Time 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 2 P.M. to 6 P.M.

No.	Name of depôt	Date of sale	Description	No.	C. ft.	Remarks
1	Mysore woodyard ..	10th October 1916 ...	Teak logs	300	8,000	More or less
			B. pieces	80	600	
			Honne logs	30	1,000	
			B. pieces	10	100	
			Matti logs	100	2,500	
			B. pieces	20	200	
			Bite logs	30	1,000	
			B pieces	10	100	
			Jungle wood logs ...	40	800	
			B. pieces	10	100	
			Dindiga poles	250	3,000	
			Teak sawn scantlings ..	10	20	

1. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers. Should any lot be disputed it shall be again put up and sold.

2. Each purchaser shall, immediately after a lot has been knocked down to him, pay as earnest money, a sum of rupees five and sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him, in a book provided for the purpose. Such payment and signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of sale as herein specified.

3. Immediately after the sale, each purchaser will be furnished with a memo showing the total amount due by him and with a chellan to pay immediately twenty-five per cent of such amount as a deposit into the Taluk Treasury at the place; a receipt for the deposit money will be granted by the Treasury Officer and must be presented to the Forest Officer at once. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the Forest Officer shall be at liberty to resell all or any portion of the timber purchased by such defaulter, who shall be required to make good any loss, but shall not participate in any profit on such resale. The amount due by such defaulter shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand.

Note.—For the convenience of the purchasers the quarter deposit or the whole of the sale amount will be received and acknowledged by the officer conducting the sale, if tendered on the spot at the time of sale.

4. The whole quantity purchased by each purchaser must be paid for within thirty days of sale, failing which the earnest and deposit moneys already paid in shall be forfeited to Government and the timber not paid for shall be resold. Moneys due may be paid into the treasury of the taluk in which the depot is situated or into the District Treasury, but into no other except in cases where the purchasers are permitted to pay into any other Government Treasury in accordance with the chellans issued to them.

5. No timber shall be delivered to any purchaser until it has been paid for in full.

6. No timber can be removed from the depôt till a permit to remove timber signed by the Forest Officer in charge of the depot shall have been obtained.

7. Timber paid for may be removed at any time within thirty days from the date of sale or within such further period not exceeding ninety days from the date of sale as may be fixed by the Forest Officer as the circumstances of each case may require, without payment

of rent; but if left in the depot longer than ninety days from date of sale, such timber will remain at the risk of the purchaser, and further shall be charged with depot rent at Rs. 6-4-0 per cent, per annum, on the sale amount from the date of sale. If the timber be not removed within six months from the date of sale, the same shall, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold by public auction for the recovery of rent and costs, etc.

8. Any complaint regarding short measurements, etc., will not be heeded after the removal of the logs from the depot.

9. Belated payments of purchase money will be charged with interest at 6¼ per cent per annum from the date of sale.

PAPPALI BARK.

Auction sale Notification dated 10th September 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the Exclusive right of collecting Pappali Bark on all Government unoccupied lands and State Forests, from October 1916 to 30th June 1917, in the following taluks will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, West Division, Mysore District, on 12th October 1916, at the District Forest office, Mysore:—

Taluk	Remarks
1. Heggaddevankote ... 2. Naraindrug ...	Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale, a sum of Rs. 20, which must be deposited in the form of currency notes. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

5. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. The successful bidder shall, at the close of the sale, credit into the District Treasury one-quarter of the total rental including the deposit already made together with local cess at one anna per rupee. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

7. If the sale is not confirmed by the Deputy Commissioner, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

8. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold. At the same time, he shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank one-quarter of the sale amount as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease, which will be returned to him after the expiry of the period of lease.

N.B.—The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement.

(*a*) To hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and maistries, who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) To work out the lease himself and not to transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of Deputy Commissioner.

(*d*) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and to permit the inspection of such accounts by the Deputy Commissioner or the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by either of them.

(*f*) To render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of Tangadi and Kakke bark collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) To remove out of the limit of the district before the 31st July 1918, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

(*i*) In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner.

P. S. GOVINDA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT (South Division).

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification of sale of timber in the Depots of Mysore South Division, published on pages 634—635 of Part IV of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 31st August 1916.

Notification dated 7th September 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the minor forest produce on all Government unoccupied lands, State and District Forests, reserved lands and plantations, from 1st October 1916 to 30th September 1919, of the undermentioned groups of taluks, will be sold by the District Forest Officer, Mysore South, in his office, on Wednesday, the 20th September 1916.

(1) Gundlupet and Nanjangud.
(2) Chamrajnagar, T.-Narsipur and Seringapatam.

Description of produce.

1. (1) Tarekayi, (2) sigekayi, (3) antavaladakayi, (4) dindiga gum, (5) jungle saffron, (6) bees-wax, (7) honey, (8) kapila rangu, (9) patanga, (10) halmaddi, (11) chillada bija, (12) chagachi bija, (13) tamarind, (14) geru bija, (15) maddi, (16) deer horn (fallen), (17) guggala, (18) wood apple, (19) custard apple, (20) bende fibre, (21) neem seeds, (22) ippe seeds and (23) alale kayi.

2. The auction sale will commence at 2 P.M. and if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued on the following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. Intending bidders must be in possession of a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk, in which they reside vouching for their solvency, no person will be allowed to bid in the absence of such a certificate.

5. No person will be allowed to bid unless he has deposited with the officer holding the sale a sum of Rs. 50 which must be deposited in the form of currency notes. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale. Silver will not be accepted as earnest money.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner, who at his discretion may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidder shall at the close of the sale credit into the District Treasury one-fourth of the sale amount and after confirmation, the entire sale amount for the first year, including the deposit already made, together with local cess at one anna per rupee, and the balance of the sale amount, with local cess thereon, for the second and third years should be paid in two equal instalments, before 20th September 1917 and 20th September 1918, respectively. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right re-sold. Such re-sale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom. If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the Deputy Commissioner, the amount paid will be refunded to the party.

9. The accepted bidder shall execute an agreement on a duly stamped paper, within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale binding himself to observe the conditions hereunder mentioned. In default, the acceptance of his bid will be revoked, the money already paid forfeited and the right resold.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are.

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for the cutting or injuring of any of the trees under one year of age on the plea of collecting the produce. The lessee shall be held personally responsible for the acts of his agents or servants.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the Deputy Commissioner.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

Printed passes prescribed by the District Forest Officer shall be issued to cartmen under the signature of the lessee for the export of produce.

L. P. MASCARENHAS,
District Forest Officer,
Mysore (South).

SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is drawn to the detailed Notification dated the 4th September 1916, published in page 667 and 668, Part IV of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 7th September 1916, regarding the sale of timber in the depots of Shimoga and Benkipur on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd September 1916, respectively.

B. V. RAMIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated Chikmagalur, 25th August 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Kadur District, Chikmagalur, up to 25th September 1916, for carting timber from the jungle depots commencing from 15th October 1916 up to 31st May 1917. For further particulars please see pages 636—637, Part IV of the *Mysore Gazette* dated 31st August 1916.

Abstract Notification dated 25th August 1916.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Kadur District, Chikmagalur, up to 25th September 1916, for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of collecting bamboos in the State Forests of the Kadur District.

For further particulars, please see pages 635-636, Part IV of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 31st August 1916.

Abstract Notification dated Chikmagalur, 26th August 1916.

It is hereby notified that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Kadur District, Chikmagalur, up to 25th September 1916, for the right of collecting canes in the Mudgere and Koppa Ranges of the Kadur District for the year 1916-17. For further particulars please see pages 637—638, Part IV of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 31st August 1916.

M. MACHAYA,
District Forest Officer.

BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

NOTICE OF SALE OF SITES BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

Dated 12th September 1916.

The following sites in the Gavipur Extension have been resumed to the Municipality and will be resold by public auction on 16th October 1916, commencing at 8 A.M. as the purchasers of the sites have failed to pay the sale amount.

Site No.	11	Measuring	85 by 107½ feet.
Do	20	do	40 by 100 feet.
Do	58	do	55 by 100 feet.